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Re:

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Sir:

In response to the **Notice of Allowance and Issue Fee Due** dated August 26, 2004, the following documents are forwarded for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

- 1. Issue Fee Transmittal (Form PTOL-85B);
- 2. Fee Transmittal (Form PTO/SB/17);
- 3. Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) with a copy of the Assignment attached;
- 4. Power of Attorney from Assignee;
- 5. One (1) return postcard; and
- 6. PTO-2038 Credit Card Payment Form for \$1,639.00 to cover:

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